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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

TRAFFIC SIGNALS PLANNED NEAR HWY. 101 IN ARROYO GRANDE

ARROYO GRANDE – A project to signalize the intersection of West Branch Street, Camino Mercado and the northbound on and off ramps of Hwy. 101 will begin on Monday, September 25. This project will also add a turn lane on West Branch Street.

Motorists can anticipate lane closures on West Branch Street and on the northbound on and off ramps to Hwy. 101 at Camino Mercado.

Work will take place from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm Monday through Friday. This project should be completed by the end of this year.

Motorists can expect a delay of no more than ten minutes. The contractor for this project is Lee Wilson Electric of Arroyo Grande.

Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone'.

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at: http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upslo.htm



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